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True	Lift Handle Products and Processes
Express Mail Label No	EV 315 184 374 US

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

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- 2 Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- 3 Specification [Total Pages 29]
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 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
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 - Background of the invention
 - Brief Summary of the invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if any)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 8]
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS PARTS

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11. English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS
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